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RUSS & FAREL,
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Manufacturers and dealers in
FURNITURE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION
Adjoining and Walnut Sts
PARLOR, COTTAGE CHAMBER
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FURNITURE
CONSTANTLY ON HAND AND FOR SALE AT PRICES
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Where he keeps a full stock of the
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DRY GOODS, CROCKERY,
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PITHOLE CITY, PA.
SHIPPERS to Pithole City, Pa., Mark goods "Care Pioneer's Freight Express, Titusville, Pa," as it connects with Am Express Co. and Oil Creek & R. R. at Titusville American Express Co. has no office at Pithole City
Titusville, Pa, Nov 1, 1865 J POMEROY, Proprietor
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1,000 BARRELS APPLES,
Choice Winter fruit in store and for sale at D C Clark's New Brick nursery, corner Spring and Main streets. dec18

Public Lectures and a Public Library.

We are permitted to make the following extracts from the interesting lecture delivered by the Rev W Howell Taylor before the Culver Literary Association, on Friday evening last

The professional lecturer is an acknowledged teacher, one of a large class whose vocation is honored. It is his to gather and direct facts in a popular form. Many are thus reached and taught through the attractive channel of the lip and the voice. Solid truth is robed in the garb of nonsense, and those who shun the dry details of the dull or who raven over the prospect of information easily are induced to listen to the same ideas in this disguised form. Like an Eastern physician who overcome a child's aversion to medicine by the insertion in the handle of a bun through whose pores it was diffused in the royal system, the lecturer uses amusement as a vehicle merely. He is useful to those who, with no previous training and no early advantages, have no time for the pursuit of learning, and rusty all tools. The old adage "a little learned nothing, is valuable without pains or labor, and knowledge thus acquired is limited but it is better than none.

The pulpits of the nation have led quackes and charlatans ignorant pretents and boastful stringers of anecdotes into the desk. The dress of a good thing is however not worn for its rejection and the remedy for this evil lies with the people themselves. Let the charlatans lectures, not of balloons and dentists, but of the learned, the earnest, the polished and the instructive—men who will entertain as well as while they furnish divertisement. There are such in the world there will be more when the public taste and judgment will create the demand.

As one object of the Association with which we are connected is to provide a public place for the young men of Titusville and its vicinity and to afford them opportunities *for social improvement* we commit it to the kind understanding our aim or in the selection and endorsement of those whom we call to entertain us and to instruct us.

In the wide range of subjects which lie before us—the literary, scientific, religious and practical—there is enough of interest. Few have time to form profound acquaintance with any single knowledge, but it is enough if we get a sweet taste of the calling, which shall whet our appetites and induce us to study more deeply.

Contributions to literature, in a word, the form and the distinctive beauty and grandeur of our present revelation to us. We will not be dry to the end, we will have a hold of their sympathies. He who clothes his explanations in a graphic and simple manner will not fail to excite an interest in his profit. His lecture is the object of the lecture should be not to exhibit himself, but to give information which can be carried away.

Business men, and the men of the world, should not shrink from their contribution to the quota of knowledge. The duties of life in their idea of what the public demands. It asks for a simple story, a narrative of facts. They due to give it in easy or informal criticism. They are as laughing with the people which would be with the gallant as little as the month such as he might be in the office. And all the use as practical" men they will not *see it* as such. The world is thirsting for their plain talk and their practical wisdom. The scholar would be glad to sit at their feet and to learn of them but their lips are dumb, or their utterance oracles of mind in mysterious tongues. Let the people, says Carlyle, "hunger and thirst after facts, infinitesimal fractions of a fact if possible." And produce we add in the very most natural and familiar. It will be most effective. Let us have business *talkers* among those who will give us instruction—men who will bring their daily, matter of fact experience to our treasures of knowledge.

The wisdom of the past is the food of the present. A German workman at his bench wings to thought. Through the printer's press, principles, facts, information is spread broadcast in the walks of civilization. Books are the medium through which the humblest may draw information from the loftiest mind. The teachers of knowledge as in the mystic dance of the and at Greeks is thus passed down from hand to hand from father to son, in perpetual succession ever kindling into greater brightness and shedding the blessed radiance of sound reading and pure religion to illuminate all lives in the world.

The inspiring thoughts and the grand conceptions of our master spirits are treasured in books the principles of knowledge are embalmed in books they are an organ for the utterance of the poet and the burning words which spring up from the absorbed soul of the orator. They reproduce on the eye the pencillings of the artist and the people follow as Audubon in his faithful tracing of nature or rap the pictures without the fatigue and vexation of travelling.

A library in a country anywhere to an association like ours it become a necessity. Books are expensive proportionally to their size and value place them beyond the reach of our public libraries or of the favored few. Only such are the ones which are most needed for reference, and the most longed for by the seeker of knowledge. A cumbersome and not easily carried, an expensive and not easily found, they are accessible only through the Association or the munificence of some generous donor.

In our older cities, time and public spirit have supplied the necessity. Great libraries are thrown open to all. Here, where most needed, there is a want. Gentlemen of the Association it may be your privilege to inaugurate an important institution. You may give to this community that which will benefit all, and be a worthy monument which we may leave to the future. In the year 1700, ten ministers, each with an armful of books, laid them on the table at Branford with the words, "I give these books for the founding of a college in this Colony." From that humble beginning Yale College dates its origin and magnificent library.

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

BY THE WESTERN UNION LINE.

VERY LATEST NEWS.

FORT KEARNEY Dec 22

At four o'clock this morning, the thermometer stood at twenty eight degrees below zero. The snow is drifted in the hollows between here and the Missouri River to depth of between fifteen and twenty feet. No coaches have arrived here from Atchison for two days.

PHILADELPHIA Dec 23

The numbers of the bond coupons stolen earlier by should read thirty five thousand fifty eight to thirty five thousand sixty four in classes instead of thirty five thousand fifty sixty four as erroneously published. The official numbers are correctly published.

NEW YORK Dec 23

This morning, about half past one, a fire broke out in No 1 Cortlandt street, and the flames spread rapidly to Nos 3 and 5. All three buildings are totally destroyed. Mr Sweeney's loss is about $40 000 in addition to $8 000.

Holders of certificates of the payment of twenty millions of gold interest by the Treasury after the first of January. The exports of specie to date amount to $4 000 000. Coin is quoted at 34 38.

The business at the Stock Board this morning was very much confined to the welcoming of Christmas with the customary blowing of horns. Transactions were few and the sales made were all next week and the parties were confident of a decided advance in the speculation. The general tone of the market is not very strong, stocks dull and the full side is confident of a decided improvement in the near future.

[Here the wire stopped working.]

SPECIAL NOTICES.
Wild Lands Wanted 5,000 to 5 000
For Sale HOUSE AND LOT
A Few Desirable Places for Building
Notice
Frank O. Allen & Co.,
LIFE, FIRE
Accident Insurance Agency,
TITUSVILLE CORRY, AND
PITHOLE CITY.
TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO
of Hartford,
Capital, $600 000
FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY,
Of Hartford,
Capital $1 00 000
NEW ENGLAND INSURANCE COMPANY
Of Hartford
Capital, $ 00 000
CONNECTICUT INSURANCE COMPANY,
Of Hartford
Capital, $ 00 000
PUTNAM INSURANCE COMPANY
Of Hartford,
Capital, $ 00 000
HOME INSURANCE COMPANY
Of New Haven
Capital, $ 00 000
ENTERPRISE INSURANCE COMPANY
Of Philadelphia
Capital $ 00 000
NORTH AMERICA INSURANCE COMPANY,
Of New York,
Capital, $500 000
ARCTIC INSURANCE CO
of New York,
Capital $ 00 000
MORRIS INSURANCE CO,
of New York,
Capital, $ 00 000
SECURITY INSURANCE CO,
of New York,
Capital, $1 000 000
HOME INSURANCE COMPANY
of New York,
Capital, $ 000 000
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In Matter of the Assignment of Anna Stebbins to trustees for the benefit of her creditors.

Notice is hereby given that I have filed my petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Venango County, praying for a discharge from my debts under the provisions of the act of Assembly entitled "An act to provide for the relief of insolvent debtors" and that the Court has appointed the 21st day of January next for the hearing thereof, when and where I shall be ready to discharge my creditors, if they shall appear and show cause why I should not be discharged.

H. B. COMPTON, Atty
dec 18w3t

ON COMMISSION
Oil for sale in Cattle Lots or Contracts will find it to their advantage to call on the undersigned
STEPHEN WAITE
READ HOUSE
The Titusville Water Well Co. is office in the WAITE BLOCK, room No 3, corner Main and Franklin streets
STEPHEN WAITE Agent

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

PETROLEUM MARKETS

TITUSVILLE Saturday Evening December 23

The Petroleum market is firm at previous quotations. Oil appears to be scarce in Titusville many of the wells having sold out and not being able to deliver. Tanks in some instances return the teams empty. It appears that the Pithole buyers will be either by wagon or tank and boat at a minimum figure, are able to remove their flowing in the state of the market. Many are stringing up for to fulfill their contracts. Many bought at the supposed bottom but all from Rouseville have refused that market which was at the top contracted. Many have gone to work for the other so that those who would not take now to fight at a little pressure. Dig to wait till the market comes and a little.

We found on Saturday a slack day for the Pithole buyers. Only a few lots changed hands. It is the opinion of many that the market will be firmer.

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COAL

[illegible]	21 00
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LUMBER

[illegible]	450 00
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LIME

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NEW YORK OIL MARKET.

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PITTSBURGH WHOLESALE MARKET.

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FULTON MARKET.

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NEW YORK MARKET

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N. Y. MONEY AND STOCK MARKET

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LIFE, FIRE,
AND
ACCIDENTAL INSURANCE.
Mills & Wrigley,
AGENTS.
NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA,
METROPOLITAN,
OF NEW YORK
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS $1,100,000
KENSINGTON OF LIBERTY
CAPITAL $714,077,78
EXCELSIOR ACCIDENT COMPANY
OF HARTWELL
PROVIDENT LIFE INSURANCE AND INVESTMENT COMPANY,
CAPITAL $1,000,000
CHARTER OAK FIRE INSURANCE CO,
OF HARTFORD CONN
CAPITAL $200,000
LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE
ON PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BUILDINGS
FURNITURE STOCKS OF GOODS AND MERCHANDISE GENERALLY,
GENERAL OR SPECIAL ACCIDENTS
EXTRA HAZARDOUS RISKS
OIL TANKS WELLS AND REFINERIES,
EDWARD MILLS,
WILLIAM WRIGLEY,
Office up stairs No. 2, Fletcher's Block.
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2,000 BUSHELS POTATOES
for sale at D C Clark's New Brick nurseries, corner Spring and Monroe streets. dec14

J. J. McCRUM,
Manufacturer and Dealer in
HARNESS,
Saddles, Bridles, Trunks, Traveling Bags, Whips,
LEATHER BELTING, &c.
SPRING STREET,
Four Doors East of Petroleum Bank,
TITUSVILLE, PA.
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INSURANCE.
B W MURRAY,
AGENT FOR THE
LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE CO,
ROYAL
INSURANCE COMPANY
OF ENGLAND
INTERNATIONAL
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
OF NEW YORK
MUTUAL BLUE
INSURANCE COMPANY
OF NEW YORK
WIDOWS AND ORPHANS BENEFIT
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
OF New York
UNIVERSAL
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
OF New York
CHARTER OAK
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
of Hartford Conn
Office in F H Ely & Co's Hardware Store, Diamond Titusville

A. H. KROM & CO.,
MECHANIC STREET NEAR R. R. DEPOT,
TITUSVILLE, PA.
WHOLESALE
GROCERS,
AND DEALERS IN
FLOUR, GRAIN, LIME, &C.
We invite the attention of Dealers and Hotel Keepers to our
LARGE STOCK OF GROCERIES,
selected with great care, one of the firm being constantly in New York and the West making purchases.
We flatter ourselves that we can offer to those wishing goods in our line, sufficient inducements to lead them to purchase here in preference to any other market.
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HASTINGS & LINDLEY
CRITTENDEN HALL
Call the attention of Consumers to their large and varied assortment of
STAPLE, DOMESTIC AND FANCY
DRY GOODS,
NOTIONS, SMALL WARES, AND House Furnishing Goods,
CROCKERY,
Glassware of all Descriptions,
(A FULL STOCK,)
JAMES (as of line) also a full stock of
GROCERIES,
Which will be sold as low as can be bought in the
WORLD!
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KELLOGG'S BUILDING,
SPRING ST OPPOSITE AMERICAN HOTEL
DRY GOODS,
CLOAKS SHAWLS DRESS GOODS,
FURS DOMESTIC GOODS
HATS HAND CAPS,
READY MADE CLOTHING,
AND
GENTS FURNISHING GOODS.
We are doing not greatly Retail Prices on everything and invite the various lines of goods in the location and we specially ask a share of the trade feeling that we can give entire satisfaction. Remember the place
KELLOGG'S NEW BRICK BUILDING, Opposite American Hotel Spring Street Titusville
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EMPIRE COAL AND LUMBER YARD,
HALE & SILLIMAN
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN LUMBER,
CONSISTING OF
FLOORING, SHINGLE, CLAPBOARDS, CEILING, LATH, BLINDS, SASH, DOORS
COAL.
ANTHRACITE, BLOSSBURG, BITUMINOUS, SNOW SHOE
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C. H. AMES & CO
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware
NAILS, IRON, STEEL, ROPE, BELTING
BELLOWS, &c.
Which we are prepared to sell at the lowest cash prices. Our facilities for purchasing are such that we flatter ourselves we can offer better inducements than you can get elsewhere. Call and examine our stock before making your purchases.
Corner of Pine and Franklin streets,
TITUSVILLE, PA.

FURNITURE WAREROOMS
F. M. PAGE,
Titusville, Pa., now open on Spring Street, between Perry and Monroe
where may be found one of the
FINEST AND LARGEST STOCKS OF
FURNITURE
WEST OF NEW YORK CITY
To the citizens of Titusville and surrounding towns we respectfully ask you to call and examine our stock before going to other places to purchase. We will show such a stock as will induce purchases. Our prices will be found as cheap as the same goods can be purchased in any market adding freight.
I will not enumerate articles, but my stock will be found everything in the
FURNITURE LINE.
Including Mattresses and Bedding. If you want a good article at P N PAGES
A O HAKE, Agent

CLARK & BROWN
HAVE JUST RECEIVED
A LARGE SUPPLY OF
SANFORD'S
Challenge Heaters
PORTABLE FURNACES
AND
FURNACES TO SET IN BRICK
They have also a complete stock of
Cook and Parlor Stoves of Every Description.
IN GOOD'S NEW BLOCK,
Franklin Street, Titusville,
ALSO MANUFACTURERS OF
Tin, Copper, and Sheet Iron Ware.
Call and examine for yourselves. Our motto is
"Quick Sales and Small Profits."
EZRA CLARK A. R. BROWN
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RICH FURS, HATS, CAPS
AND
Furnishing Goods
L. A. SIRRE
Has removed to the
NEW AND SPACIOUS STORE IN SPRING
Adjoining the Post Office where he has opened a full and elegant Stock of Goods.
In FURS you will find an assortment which, for richness and variety cannot be excelled by any retail house in New York consisting of the following goods in Sets or Single Articles
DARK HUDSON BAY SABLE,
PINE DARK MINK
ROYAL ERMINE,
SIBERIAN SQUIRREL,
RUSSIAN AND HUNGARIAN FITCH
RIVER MINK,
FRENCH SABLE
All kinds of
CHILDREN'S FURS
in abundance, Ladies' GLOVES and FUR GLOVES, lined and unlined
$1100, Buffalo, Wolf, Fox, and Bear Robes. Fancy Shield and TRAVELING BLANKETS
GENTLEMEN'S FURS
GLOVES AND FURNISHING GOODS, he will find the
FINEST STOCK
The HAT & CAP department
Will always be found well supplied with the
OLD, MIDDLE AGED AND YOUNG
L. A. SIRRE,
Spring St.
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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Titusville Morning Herald.

Monday Morning, Dec. 25, 1865.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Agents for the Morning Herald.

Oil Creek Railroad—John J. St. Clair.
Pithole City—G. B. Town & Co.
Petroleum Centre—Beardsley & Nicholson.
[illegible] F. McKnight.
Roy Farm—A. L. Holt, P. M.
[illegible]—Jones [illegible] Clair.
[illegible]
[illegible]—Leonard & Hess.
[illegible] W. Hess.

New Advertisements To-Day.

[illegible]—Local Notice.
Local Notices—R. C. Clark & Co.
Corinthian Hall—Lessee & Kent.
Bliss Opera House—Benefit of Mollie Newton.
[illegible]—Wm. S. Hulbs.
Situation Wanted—M. D.
Coal—W. H. Abbott.
A Rare Chance to Make Money—F. Bates
[illegible]
Local Notices—Olmstead & Jewhurst

The Morning Herald Office

Has been removed from Franklin street to the second floor of Winsor's new block, adjoining Corinthian Hall, Spring street. Our printing facilities have been very largely improved of late, and with the increased accommodations afforded by our new location we shall be able to meet the wants of our patrons in a prompt and satisfactory manner.

A Merry Christmas.

To-day being Christmas, the printers as well as "the rest of mankind," suspend labor, and as a consequence no paper will be issued from this office to-morrow.

There will be religious services in the Episcopal church this morning at the usual hour. Sermon by the Rev. Mr. Purdon, and administration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Sunday School Festival in the evening, and address by the Pastor.

Church Run and the Jackson Gas Pump Again.

On the 14th instant we recorded the results of our observations on a visit to the Eureka well on Church Run, mentioning in particular the operations of the Jackson air-pump, used for removing the gas from the well, with its probable effect upon the action of the common oil pump which was at work at the same time, for the purpose of raising the fluid to the surface.

On Monday afternoon we made another visit to the same well, and for the same purpose as before; but the phenomena witnessed were very different in appearance, though not necessarily involving any new principles, at least, the impressions which we received on our former visit were confirmed by a new set of results obtained under different conditions.

When we arrived, the gas pump had not been in operation for some time, and the flow from the well seemed to be at the rate of about forty five barrels per day, these two items were the same as before, but here the similarity ceased. In the first case, the walking beam was making from sixty five to seventy strokes per minute, but in the second, only from fifty five to sixty, and the machinery seemed to be laboring or straining, just as it operated in the first case *after* the gas pump had been run.

The beam was new, for the old one had been broken by this tremendous strain upon it. Mr. Roof, a brother of the Superintendent, was at the well, and he kindly afforded us every facility for witnessing the operations of the machinery.

When the gas pump was put in motion, the index of the vacuum gauge started *immediately*, showing that the first stroke of the pump reduced the pressure of the gas in the well *below that of the external atmosphere*, and leading one to suppose that there was some means for escape for the gas when the pump was not running. During the first minute the index went up to 20, and in the next three minutes until the pump was stopped, it only registered 23, showing that the pressure of the external air was greater than that of the gas in the well, by the weight of a column of mercury 23 inches in height, or equivalent to a pressure of about 11 1-4 lbs. to the inch. It required four minutes and three quarters for the index to return to zero; and during this time the machinery continued to work precisely as it had before the gas pump was started, and the flow of oil, water and gas from the well was uninterrupted, indicating that this difference in pressure of 11 1-4 lbs. to the square inch was not sufficient to make any perceptible difference either in the movement of the machinery or in the amount of fluid elevated by the oil pump.

These things were so different from what had been witnessed at our first visit, that we followed up the clue furnished by the operators of the vacuum gauge. The connections at the well and at the gas pump were examined without detecting any leak, but on going to the exhaust pipe of the gas pump, we found the explanation—a large stream of gas was flowing from it, although the pump had been stopped some ten minutes. The valves of the pump not being worked by cams or eccentricities but by the pressure of the gasses, must all open outward from the well, so that when the pressure in the well is greater than that outside, it opens the valves and the gas flows through the pump into the exhaust pipe and out into the external air. The pump was run again at our request, and no gas came from the exhaust pipe while the index of the gauge was returning, but as soon as it reached zero, the flow commenced again and soon became as large as before. We are certain that this was not the case at the time of our former visit, for we examined this pipe before and after the pump was started, to observe the quantity of oil that had been thrown out with the gas.

The results of our observations may be summed up briefly as follows. At the time of the first visit, or in the first case, the gas was allowed to accumulate in the well, pressing upon the surface of the fluid and assisting the oil pump to bring it to the surface, until the air pump removed this assistance, when the flow from the well suddenly ceased, for the oil pump was inadequate to perform the work alone. Then the brine and oil accumulated in the well, rising higher and higher around the tubing, above the pump, until the weight of this column and the pressure of the gas again afforded a counterbalancing force sufficient to enable the pump to commence work, when it brought up pure salt water, and afterwards pure oil in increased quantities, as the accumulating force of the gas drove the column in the well downwards towards the pump.

In the second case, the gas had, comparatively, a free access to the open air, which permitted the fluids in the well to rise much higher than they would rise if the gas were not allowed to escape—to rise, indeed, until the weight of this column produced sufficient counterbalancing effect to enable the oil pump to do its work *without any assistance*, as before, from the pressure of the confined gas. The pump was however, doing this work with great difficulty, as was proved by the strain upon the walking beam. To permit the gas thus to escape, freely, and allow the oil and water to rise in the well, must render ineffectual, or nearly so, the beneficial results claimed from the action of the air pump, since the good effect of it, under these circumstances, is to relieve the well of a pressure of only eleven or twelve pounds to the square inch, which is too small an effect to be perceptible.

If, then, our impressions are correct, the gas pump is not worth the strain requisite to drive it. It failed in the first place to relieve the oil pump by opening an independent passage for the gas; and in the second place, by taking off the tremendous pressure of the gas from the well and causing a vacuum there, to induce the oil and gas from the crevices to rush in more freely than they would without such relief from the pressure which as we have seen must amount sometimes to two hundred and eighty three pounds to the square inch.

In respect to both these claims it will be seen that while cased tubing is used, which is being very generally introduced now, the same results may be obtained and with almost as good a degree of perfection by the use of a simple stop cock at the surface for letting off the gas. For instance, if the gas is interfering with the free action of the pump, open the cock and the pump is relieved, and if it is desired to remove the pressure from the walls and crevices of the well pump out the oil and water as completely as possible with the cock closed, and then stop the pump and open the cock. The well will thus be relieved of a pressure of from 100 to 200 lbs. to the square inch, according to its depth and the density of the fluids—the gas pump could only take off *some eleven or twelve pounds more*, which we have already seen is so small an effect as to be inappreciable.

But we proposed to consider the question "Why does the gas pump throw out oil as well as gas?"

At the time of our first visit very little oil came from the exhaust pipe, and from all we have seen of the effects and operations of gas in connection with wells, our impressions may be illustrated briefly as follows. It is well known that water, under a heavy pressure, will absorb large quantities of carbonic acid gas, and that when the pressure is removed, the water commences to bubble and effervesce with violence. Something analogous to this may be seen in a bottle of champagne—carbonic acid gas has been generated by fermentation and is held in the wine under a great pressure, which is retained by tying down the cork with wire. Hold the bottle up to the light—the liquor is quiet, and shows no evidence of containing within itself an explosive magazine, but break the wire and the cork flies out with a sharp report, while the gas which was held so quietly all through the mass of the liquor, immediately springs into bubbles and rushes up through the neck of the bottle, carrying with it considerable quantities of the wine.

Our story is told—the well is the champagne bottle, and the effervescence brings up the oil when the pressure is removed.

We are indebted to J. A. Cadwallader, Esq. for the following statistics of the strata of sand rock at the Eureka.

	Feet
Top of first sand rock	[illegible]
Thickness of first sand rock	[illegible]
Top of second sand rock	[illegible]
Thickness of second sand rock	[illegible]
Top of third sand rock	[illegible]
Thickness of third sand rock	[illegible]

Amusements.

Christmas Festival at Bliss Opera House—Benefit of Miss Mollie Newton.—It was understood on Friday night that Bliss Opera House had closed, but as the company yet remained, it was decided to give another performance this evening for the benefit of the gifted lady above mentioned. Christmas night is a happy selection and we hope it may prove a joyous one for all who attend. Miss Mollie Newton is an established favorite with play-goers in Titusville and there are not a few who will rejoice at an opportunity of testifying their appreciation of her fine capabilities. Young, beautiful, talented, she has hosts of admirers and has achieved a very enviable distinction in her profession. Nobody upon the boards ever dresses a character with more exquisite taste or exhibits a more graceful and winning deportment. With a lively conception and spirited execution it is not strange that during a brief professional career, she should have achieved so favorable a reputation in Boston, and so deserved a popularity wherever she has since appeared.

The programme arranged for her benefit is admirably calculated to develop her peculiar talent and awaken the Christmas merriment. The motto of the bill is—

"For those laugh now who never laughed before,
And those who always laugh, now laugh the more."

Mollie Newton appears in three favorite characters, viz: Christine, Betty Baker and [illegible]. It is the night of comedy and fun, and Mr. Jones is to be in his element as Caliph Mr. [illegible] and Nicodemus Nobbs and all the minor characters are cast to good advantage.

Miss Augusta Darron, who is always charming and effective in what ever she undertakes will recite Buchanan Read's thrilling poem entitled "Sheridan's Ride," and we have no doubt the flashing eye and the impassioned gestures of the young elocutionist, and the thunders of applause which follow the performance will give due emphasis to the rendition, even if it does not carry one into the field of battle to decide the honors with Little Phil.

Everybody should go early to-night and get a good seat. Tickets may be secured during the day and we bespeak for the fair beneficiary a gratifying reception and a substantial pecuniary [illegible].

Benefit of Sam Ryan.—To-morrow (Tuesday) evening has been set apart for the benefit of Sam Ryan at Corinthian Hall. There will be no other public amusement and we are apprehensive that the Hall will be nearly full of those who will go to see the low comedian on his high horse. We observe that the bills presented for the occasion are embellished with a portrait [illegible] Mr. Ryan himself. It is a good deal better looking than Sam, and a great many people may be led to suppose that the benefit is intended for somebody else. But such is not the case. Mr. Ryan will have the "Christmas Box," and it being his last performance in the oil regions, he will then go back to the United States.

The programme is well arranged for the occasion and will afford a rich entertainment. Mr. and Miss Couldock have volunteered their services, and the performance will open with the great domestic drama entitled "Old Phil's Birthday," in which both father and daughter appear. The comic two act drama of The "Fair of Mullingar, or Scenes on both sides of the Atlantic," will follow, and Mr. Ryan appears in his celebrated character of Jimmy Finnegan, a double distilled quintessence of all that is comic and ludicrous, and the "Head Centre" of all that is jovial, jaunty and cheeky. Mr. Kent makes his first appearance as Captain Dancer. The bill is a great attraction, and will realize a handsome benefit for Sam Ryan. We hope so, for we have a "fellow feeling" for Sam, for he is a practical printer, and apart from his merits as an actor, he has the reputation of always paying his printing bills—no matter who gets "busted."

The Willow Copse.—On Saturday evening the thrilling drama of the "Willow Copse" was played to a crowded house. Mr. Couldock appearing in his character of Luke Fielding, sustained that perfect impersonation in which he stands unrivalled on the American stage. Miss Eliza Couldock also rendered her part of Rose Fielding with [illegible] Miss [illegible] Tyron as Meg, and J. B. Dillon as Sir Richard Vaughan, fully met the general expectation, and the performance as a whole was very creditable to the company. As usual when this drama is rendered, some of the female spectators were moved to tears, but others of the sterner sex persisted in applauding in the wrong place, as, for example, when Luke Fielding and his daughter were in the agonies of despair, thus shocking the tender sensibilities of the more appreciative and chiding for them selves the flattering epithet of "noodleheads." The "Willow Copse" will be repeated this evening.

Christmas Tree at the Atlantic House.—The guests of this popular hotel were entertained on Saturday evening with a Christmas Tree, arranged under the auspices of the ladies, and bountifully laden with gifts. Capt. Tracy and his amiable wife received various substantial tokens of friendship and good will and there was a general exchange of the compliments among the guests of the house. The gifts were distributed to the company by a live Santa Claus, and the affair passed off in a manner highly gratifying to all concerned.

Charity Fair.—Remember that this entertainment will commence to-morrow evening at Crittenden Hall, and continue four days, concluding on Friday. We understand the arrangement by Tennant for a lecture to be delivered by the Rev. Mr. Finucane of Pithole City, some time during the present week.

The Mammoth Lady.—[illegible] advertised to exhibit at the [illegible] and [illegible] evening this [illegible] pounds, [illegible] year old [illegible] pounds.—There are various other wonders accompanying the troupe.

Holiday Notices.

A Christmas Gift from G. W. Hull.—Oh! [illegible] Byron. But we think it [illegible] to [illegible] wild—a more [illegible] host of other natural gifts—and are [illegible] excelled by art! If, for example, George Gordon Lord Byron had been connected with the Titusville Morning Herald and had thereby been in a position to receive a favor at the hands of G. W. Hull, bookseller and stationer, Franklin street, opposite Petroleum Bank, [illegible] would [illegible] of a [illegible].

[illegible]

Certainly not. [illegible] and [illegible] in the strings [illegible] with [illegible] either the poet [illegible] his modest [illegible] ing, and who can say that the unhealthy condition of the latter was not occasioned by the demoralizing influences of the first? W. W. Hall not [illegible].

This G. W. Hull persists not to put [illegible] upon it the best writing implement we have used. It flows [illegible], faithfully [illegible]. It [illegible] the O [illegible] fully and [illegible] as though [illegible] of [illegible] Oil [illegible] full of [illegible] amusement, philanthropy, penmanship [illegible] and every other [illegible] by writer [illegible] will improve your [illegible] and strengthen your mental perceptions.

Looking Glass, Frame and Picture Store.—One of the most interesting places in the city to visit is the variety store of Olmstead & Jewhurst on Franklin street, where can be always be well spent in examining the rare curiosities and works of art which the store is filled. Olmstead has just returned from New York, with an assortment of elegant goods for the Holidays trade, and this addition to his former stock forms a collection that deserves the attention of every one. The assortment consists of every variety of mirrors, pictures and frames, together with a fine collection of Palmer marbles, framed in every variety of style. A new and beautiful style of pictures called Cromo Lithograph, fully equal to oil paintings. The finest collection of fancy photographs ever brought to Titusville. Also a fine assortment of brackets of black walnut, marble, &c., together with gilt band, black, photographic albums, engravings, fancy frames, looking glasses, window shades, wall paper, cord and tassels, &c. &c. The stock is all of the most elegant and fashionable description and cannot fail to please the taste of the public, and the prices are exceedingly reasonable.

The opportunity to select from such an extensive and superior assortment of fancy goods is seldom offered and we advise our readers who intend to make holiday presents, or who desire articles for their own use, to call and make their purchases.

The Clothing House of Carter & Alexander.—The extensive and well selected stock of goods offered by this firm have made it a very popular point of attraction to all persons wishing fashionable and substantial goods. They were bought at low prices and are sold upon corresponding terms. The [illegible] firm are making a specialty of boys clothing. [illegible] knows nothing of the mysteries of scissors and thimble, [illegible] but believes in [illegible] and [illegible] with spotless linen and [illegible] of a coat that adorns his private person, and it is with special reference to such fastidious natures that C. & A. have their correct styles and fashionable patterns. They have also every variety of gentlemen's shirts, collars, bosoms, drawers and socks, and their with cravats and neck ties of the latest styles and most approved styles and from the best material. With the making up of the internal gentleman Carter & Alexander do not interfere, but the outer man externally they can clothe upon and adorn most beautifully, satisfactorily, and economically, and most reasonably at their new store in Fletcher's block.

Messrs. Ross & Lamb have sold their music merchandise and the entire stock connected therewith to Messrs. Stein & Phelps, who will hereafter continue the business in connection with their book, stationery and news depot, occupying the same store. The proprietors have an extensive stock of goods in both branches of trade, and notwithstanding the great demand during the preceding week for holiday presents, the assortment is still unbroken. Those who have not yet made their purchases should not overlook the advantages of a visit to this grand emporium of the holiday gifts.

The Rochester Daily *Democrat* comes to us enlarged by the addition of a column to each page and a proportionate elongation. The *Democrat* is one of the oldest and staunchest journals in Western New York. It is edited with ability and its enlargement gives evidence of a financial prosperity gratifying to its friends and patrons.

Black List.—The Titusville Herald warns the craft against one Robert Hendlin, calling him self a practical printer, and one Paul Dickenbach, a coal operator, who have swindled that establishment out of their printing bills. Pass them round.—*Dunkirk Journal.*

We learn that both of the above named "operators" have temporarily retired from the show business. Good thing for printers.

Christmas in the Churches.

The Sunday school children are to have fine times to-night in the First Presbyterian, the Methodist and the Episcopal churches, the officers and teachers of the several schools have made extensive arrangements for the entertainment of the little folks, and the Christmas trees will be bountifully laden with every imaginable gift that can delight the eye, amuse the fancy or tickle the palate of juvenility.

There will be dense throngs of older people, of course, to witness the jubilation, and assist Santa Claus in the distribution of his holiday favors.

Accident on the Oil Creek Railroad.—A freight train which left here at eight o'clock on Saturday morning, went off the track while passing Meyer's switch about three miles above the city, the locomotive remaining on the main track, and the tender and ten cars being switched off. The consequence was that it spread the rails for a considerable distance along the road, and threw the cars upon either side of the track. The road remained obstructed until eight o'clock at night, when the mail train, due here at 12 m., came down and returned to Corry with the passengers who had been waiting all the afternoon and evening. Most of them, expecting to eat their Christmas dinners at home, will be disappointed while the mails, carrying many a Christmas offering, will not reach their destination until day after to-morrow. We imagine that a special train might have moved the mails and passengers to the Meyer's switch and there transferred them to the train waiting on the other side. This would have been done under similar circumstances on any other road but it is too much to expect of the O. C. R. R. whose dividends are not over ten times greater than any other road of its length in the country and having made so little out of it generally any extra accommodation is [illegible] for consideration.

Pithole Daily Mail.—The *Record* [illegible]—Madge Potts of Meadville, Special Agent of the Post Office Department, was here lately on a visit, and upon an examination of our postal facilities he made arrangements for the conveyance of our mail from New York via Meredith over the Miller Farm plank road instead of coming by Titusville. The arrangement will commence January 1st and the mail will then be here at [illegible] instead of [illegible] o'clock, giving [illegible] time for our merchants to answer their letters.

Attempted Murder near Petroleum Centre.—Mr. Wm. Spence, Superintendent of the Benninhoff Run Petroleum Company, was fired upon near Petroleum Centre on Sunday evening while riding along the road. His assailant was at the side of the road and his pistol ball passed through the skirt of Mr. Spence's coat. He jumped from his horse and drawing his own pistol fired at the robber and afterward pursued him into the woods but without overtaking, or identifying, him.

The Oil City and Pithole Railroad will be finished to Oil City by the first of February. Hon. B. Porter [illegible] has been elected President of the company. The company are already running freight and passenger [illegible] between Pithole and Oil [illegible].

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Notice.—All outstanding accounts due me for credits by me while in business by myself must be settled immediately, or costs will be made. Attention must be given to the matter at once. I hope to avoid litigation without delay, at the new store of Bliss & Martin, Pine street. d[illegible] I. A. BLISS.

For Sale. Interests in the EUREKA (No 148) [illegible] flowing well on Pithole [illegible] [illegible] THOMPSON, HARRIS & CO., Chase House, Pithole City, Pa.

To Travelers. The New York Accident Tickets insure the holder against Accidents of every description. The tickets of other companies only cover injury and death the result of an accident to the public conveyance in which the insured may at the time be traveling.

Note the difference. For General Accident Tickets and Policies, call on F. BATES, Agent, d. 22 opposite Bush House.

Itch! Itch! Itch!—Scratch, Scratch, Scratch!—WHEATON'S OINTMENT will cure the itch in 48 hours. Also cures Salt Rheum, Ulcers, Chilblains, and all eruptions of the skin. Price 50 cents. For sale by all druggists.

By sending 60 cents to WEEKS & POTTER, Sole Agents, 170 Washington Street, Boston, Mass., it will be forwarded by mail, free of postage, to any part of the United States. [illegible]

Cholera! Cholera! The [illegible] of [illegible] in the countries of Europe have deservedly [illegible] and [illegible] the citizens of large cities [illegible] [illegible] ALBERT SILL, [illegible] Titusville Pa. dec4tf

Announcement. Owing to the [illegible] and [illegible] in [illegible] of our store [illegible] Our [illegible] goods kept by us in our Wholesale establishment. [illegible] BLISS & MARTIN. Jan [illegible] 1866. tf

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Go to Weeks Steam Laundry to get your Wedding [illegible]

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The cheapest place to buy flour and grain is at the [illegible] Monroe Street, [illegible]

[illegible] Sash, Doors, Blinds and [illegible] at W [illegible] Martin street. [illegible]

[illegible] Diaries for 1866 [illegible] at Olmstead & Jewhurst's.

[illegible] is a beauty. Crystal, white and [illegible] at Curtiss near the depot. oct13tf

[illegible] may be found at [illegible] Ware Rooms, 33 Spring Street. [illegible]

[illegible] splendid gilt Cornices for [illegible] at Olmstead & [illegible] dec[illegible]

[illegible] those English Traveling Bags, [illegible] at [illegible] Monroe [illegible] n23tf

[illegible] Christmas [illegible] your lady or gentleman friend [illegible] Turkey Morocco Reticule [illegible] be found at L. M. Crane's.

[illegible] our stock and prices and we will [illegible] that the [illegible] Satchels, Robes, Blankets, Trunks, [illegible] at the [illegible]

The Secretary of the Treasury in his annual report [illegible] at the currency question [illegible] the only true way to reduce [illegible] Harness, Saddles, Robes, Blankets, &c., at [illegible]

You cannot annihilate the fragrance of Phalon's Night Blooming Cereus! [illegible] Washing alone [illegible] de25tf

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[illegible] Passenger Tickets East and West for sale at [illegible] Block, Franklin St., FRANK O. ALLEN & CO. Avoid counting your money in a crowd.

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